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Application of: Christos J. Petropoulos

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For: PRODUCTION OF INFECTIOUS
HEPADNAVIRUS PARTICLES
CONTAINING FOAMY RETROVIRUS
ENVELOPE PROTEINS AND METHODS
OF USING THE SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 2793/65318/JPW/AJM/DRM
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims of the above-identified application. This paper is being filed pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.34.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 2 month(s):
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 is submitted herewith.
2. A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
3. A fee in the amount of \$320.00 is:
 Required.
 Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
4. Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non-profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$160.00 is:
 Required.
 Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
5. Please charge the required fee, if any, to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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